

**Crosslinkable Hydrophilic Materials From Reactive Oligomers Having Pendent
Unsaturated Groups**

Abstract

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The present invention provides crosslinkable compositions useful in the preparation of hydrophilic gels, and are prepared from oligomers having pendent hydrophilic poly(alkylene oxide) groups, and pendent polymerizable functional groups, and crosslinked by polyfunctional poly(alkylene oxides).